International Surface Warfare Officer School

"Fostering international cooperation through the sharing of

HOW TO REQUEST A QUOTA

The U.S. Security Assistance Officer (SAO) located within each country should contact the appropriate Country Program Manager (CPM) at the Naval Education and Training Security Assistance Field Activity (NETSAFA).

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INTERNATIONAL
Combat Information Center Watch Officer

INTERNATIONAL
COMBAT INFORMATION CENTER (CIC)
WATCH OFFICER COURSE

MASL P121022

- **Three (3) classes per year (Jan/Mar/Sep)**
- **Three (3) week duration**

Prepares International Officers (O-1 to O-2) with training in basic CIC operations during routine peacetime steaming. Emphasis is on multi-threat warfare areas, CIC equipment, special maneuvering, and CIC navigation. Upon completion, the student is prepared to plan, coordinate and manage the supervision of all CIC operations and training during routine peacetime steaming.

INTERNATIONAL
Division Officer (DIVO)

INTERNATIONAL SURFACE WARFARE DIVISION OFFICER COURSE

MASL P179136

- **Two (2) classes per year (starting April & August)**
- **Sixteen (16) week duration**

Prepares junior officers to execute watch station duties aboard surface warfare craft and ships by providing fleet oriented training. This course highlights shipboard organization, basic systems interdependence and interaction, including a foundation in surface combat systems, operational concepts, watch standing, basic seaman-ship skills, and engineering. Upon graduation, the officer will possess entry level skills to perform duties as:

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INTERNATIONAL
Division Officer (DIVO) (Continued)

- Junior Officer of the Deck
- Combat Information Watch Officer
- Officer of the Deck (in port)
- Assistant Navigator
- Safety Officer During Deck Evolutions
- Officer of the Deck (underway)

This course emphasizes fleet missions as they apply to individual international countries. It discusses naval operations and supporting areas, i.e. air warfare, undersea warfare, amphibious ships, surface warfare, mine counter-measures, damage control, intelligence, chain of command.

INTERNATIONAL
Department Head (DH)

INTERNATIONAL SURFACE WARFARE
DEPARTMENT HEAD OPERATIONS SPECIALTY OFFICER COURSE

MASL P179135

- **One (1) class per year (April)**
- **Fourteen (14) week duration**

Prepares middle grade International Surface Warfare Officers with previous sea experience to execute Operations and Combat Systems department head duties on board surface units of frigate or larger vessels. Through classroom and training device instruction, this training emphasizes department, systems, and unit interdependence and interaction, and provides theoretical and technical instruction required to prepare officers for combined operations with units of the United States and other Navies.

INTERNATIONAL
Joint Maritime Tactical Development

INTERNATIONAL
JOINT MARITIME TACTICAL DEVELOPMENT COURSE (JMTD)

MASL P122571

- **1 class per year (October)**
- **8 week duration**

Provides warfare specialty officers (O-3 to O-4) with the tactical development skills required to support a Joint Force Commander or Naval Component Commander in a multi-threat environment. The course stresses joint maritime planning and war gaming. Weapon systems information are included in order to integrate air, surface, and submarine platforms into an effective fighting force.

INTERNATIONAL
Damage Control Assistant (DCA)

INTERNATIONAL DAMAGE CONTROL ASSISTANT

MASL P129153

NOTE: This course is located at SWOS Learning Center Norfolk, VA

- One (1) class per year (July)
- Seven (7) week duration

Provides training to Officers (O-1 to O-4) en-route to Damage Control assignments in surface ships. The course includes:

- Repair Division Administration and Responsibilities
- Damage Control Administration and Training
- Damage Control Equipment Systems
- Damage Control Petty Officer Program requirements, and maintenance procedures
- Stability and Buoyancy
- Battle Damage Evaluation and containment techniques
- Chemical, Biological and Radiological Defense management